S. B. 179, bill to establish the county line between the counties of Wayne and Lenoir, on its second reading.

The amendment reported by the Committee on Propositions and Grievances was adopted.

The bill passed its second and third readings, was ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives.

S. B. 262, bill to encourage cotton and wool manufacturing in the town of Shelby, North Carolina, on its second reading.

On motion of Mr. Webb, the bill was indefinitely post-poned.

S. B. 277, bill to allow the county of Granville to levy a special tax for jail purposes, on its third reading.

On motion of Mr. Jenkins, the bill was laid on the table.

S. B. 257, bill to authorize the town of Warrenton to endorse the bonds of the Warrenton Railroad Company, on its second reading.

The bill passed its second reading, ayes 27, noes —, as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Adams, Broadhurst, Bryan, Collie, Cook, Eaves, Epps, Fields, Fox, Griffin, Harrison, Jenkins, Lillington, Lockey, Mason of Chatham, Murrow, Pemberton, Purcell, Saunders, Shober, Stevenson, Terrell, Thorpe, Turner Warren, Webb and Williamson—27.

S. B. 295, bill to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the Wilmington, Onslow and East Carolina Railroad Company, being chapter 233, Laws of 1885, on its second reading.

The substitute reported by the Committee on Internal Improvements was read.

Mr Lockey moved to amend the substitute:

Add at end of section 2 the words "Provided however, that this amendment shall not apply to or in any way govern the election already called by the board of commission-